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TRANSMITTAL OF APPELLANT'S FIRST AMENDED BRIEF

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief of 8 August 2006, Appellants hereby submit an amended brief identifying claims 1-48 as being the claims on appeal and with a Section V amended to include a mapping of the independent claims to the specification and drawings.

Respectfully Submitted,

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